

# Use and Safety instructions

Read and Understand All instructions before using your “Hooked Off-line™ Brand Line Minder.”

Which O-rings to use?

Your Line Minder comes with 2 sizes of Neoprene rubber O-rings. Neoprene O-rings are used because they resist UV light better than other types of O-rings however, they do not last forever. If you leave your Line Minder attached to your rod and leave them in the sun the O-rings will deteriorate(break) much faster. The O-rings that are loose in the bag are a size 19. The number 19 is used when the fishing rod completely fills or is slightly larger than the rod pocket in the Line Minder. The O-rings that are taped together are number 18 O-rings and are slightly smaller. Use the #18 O-Rings when the rod is slightly smaller than the rod pocket in the Line Minder.

How to use your new Line Minder:

- 1: To attach the Line Minder to the fishing rod first determine where you want your line minder to be. The recommended location is within 2 inches in front of or behind the first eye on the fishing rod of a normal light to medium rod as shown in fig.1 and fig.2 on the back. On a heavy fishing rod, it is recommended to put it at the second eye from the fishing reel. Avoid putting the Line Minder close to the middle between eyes as it has more tendency to get tangled with the line while casting.
- 2: Make sure the Hook Hole is toward the fishing reel and the cutter is toward the rod tip.
- 3: Next take one of the provided O-rings and hook it on one of the 4 attachment points on the line minder.
- 4: With the O-ring attached in one attachment point wrap the O-ring around the rod and fasten the O-ring in to the attachment point on the opposite side of the Line Minder. As shown in figure 2.
- 5: Repeat step three for the second O-ring.
- 6: Your Line Minder is now ready for action!

To use the Hook holder feature of the Line Minder

With the rod tip pointed down place the hook into the hook holder hole.

Tighten the line until there is enough pressure to hold the hook in place. Usually for most rods (excluding salt water gear) there will be a slight bow in the rod when using the Line Minder. Do not apply too much tension or leave the line attached for an extended period of time.

To use the Bare Line holder feature of the Line Minder

Bring the line down the left side of the Line Minder wrapping the line under and around the head of the screw in a counter clock-wise direction. You want the line to go under the edge of the plastic screw. If the line will not go under the head of the screw slightly loosen the screw and repeat the above sets. Once the line is secured under the head of the plastic screw reel the line tight for easy transport of your fishing gear. (Caution! Pulling very hard on the line or wrapping the line around a hand or finger can result in getting cut. Never wrap line around any body part.)

To use the line cutting feature of the Line Minder

Your Line Minder already has a razor-sharp stainless-steel blade installed from the factory ready to go simply slide the line you would like to cut into the slot of the blade. Pull back toward the fishing reel to cut the line.

Your line minder is designed to give you a long life of use. If you use Monofilament fishing line your blade will last for many years. While the Line Minder is built of the finest materials if braided super lines are used it will dull the blade quicker. If you need a new blade please contact Hooked Off-line™ service@hookedoff-line.com or call 336-620-5250 for replacement blades or O-rings and instructions to replace your blade. Other instructions maybe found on YouTube by searching for “Hooked Off-Line™ Brand Line Minder”. Or visit us at [www.hookedoff-line.com/lineminder](http://www.hookedoff-line.com/lineminder)

Warranty Information on Reverse

Limited Product Warranty

Manufacturer warrants to the original purchaser ("Customer") that the Line Minder (the "Product") shall be free from significant defects in materials and workmanship under normal use (the "Product Warranty") for a period of twelve (12) months from the date of purchase (the "Warranty Period"). The Product's O-rings, and any defects in the Product caused by a defective O-ring, are specifically excluded from this Product Warranty.

Product Warranty Limitations

The Product Warranty does not apply to any product that:

- a. has been subjected to abuse, neglect, negligence, accident, improper storage, improper handling, abnormal environmental conditions, use contrary to any instructions issued by Manufacturer, or use for purposes other than Product's intended purpose; or
- b. has been reconstructed, repaired or altered by persons other than Manufacturer or its authorized representative.

Customer's Exclusive Remedy for Defective Products

This section contains Customer's exclusive remedy for defective Products. Customer's remedy under this section is conditioned upon Customer's compliance with its obligations in this section. During the Warranty Period, with respect to any allegedly defective Products:

- a. Customer shall notify Manufacturer of any alleged claim or defect before the expiration of the Warranty Period;
- b. Customer shall answer questions asked by Manufacturer regarding Customer's eligibility under this Product Warranty;
- c. Customer shall ship, according to instructions provided by Manufacturer, such allegedly defective Product to Manufacturer for inspection by Manufacturer;
- d. if Manufacturer's inspection reveals, to Manufacturer's reasonable satisfaction, that such Products are defective and that any such defect has not been caused or contributed to by any of the factors described in the Product Warranty Limitations above, Manufacturer, in its sole discretion, shall either (i) replace the Product with a new or refurbished Product that is the same as or similar to the Product purchased by Customer; (ii) repair the Product using either new or refurbished parts; or (iii) refund to Customer the purchase price of the Product.

The costs of shipping the defective Product to Manufacturer shall be at the Customers expense except when a Return to Manufacturer Authorization Number is approved before sending. The cost of shipping new or replacement Products to Customer shall be at Manufacturer's expense.

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USE AND SAFETY WARNING

Use the Product only for its intended purposes. The Product contains a sharp blade. Removal of the Product's blade could cause personal injury and/or damage. The Product contains small pieces that could pose a choking risk for small children. The Product may have sharp edges. Use caution when attaching any hook to the Product. Follow all directions to prevent injury and/or damage. Use extreme caution when attaching any hooks to the Product as there may be sharp hook ends exposed. DO NOT leave a fishing rod with a line under tension for extended periods of time attached to the Product. If used in saltwater, it is recommended that all equipment be thoroughly washed with fresh water before storing your gear to prevent corrosion.

